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SOURCE

A jet fighter with slim fusclage, swept-back wings and rudder assembly sloping to the rear practiced flying in the Schoen-walde (N 53/Z 66) area about noon. The plane dived from an altitude of about 2,000 meters to about 1,000 meters, pulled out of the dive and zoomed again almost vertically at its previous diving speed. Loops were also performed.

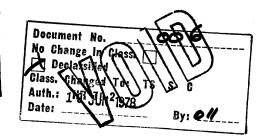
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Comment:

Report shows that swept-back wing aircraft also dive. The upper limit in dive speed reached by this aircraft type is unknown. The plane is apparently fully serviceable for acrobatics and dives.

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